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CONSTITUTION REFORM.

A new Constitution is necessary to the progress and prosperity of Tennessee. The motto of the Constitutional League of Shelby County we believe in most thoroughly and endorse most heartily. We know that a change in the antiquated and inanimate constitution which is now existing is needed and we trust the people of the State will speak out in no uncertain tones at the election in April, and have it changed, altered and amended and brought up to date.

That there is a necessity for a change everyone concedes, some few timid ones seem to be afraid to trust the people to revise it, but we believe there are enough patriotic men in Tennessee to be trusted with the revision.

And the revision should not be made as a make-shift but overhaul the ancient and effete document from stern to stern and give us a good living constitution one which the humblest can understand.

The present Constitution and Code of Tennessee should be swept away and let something be built anew illustrating the true American principle that they are governed best who are governed the least, but away with ponderous and technicalities which only perplex and vex the people.

Let us have less law and more justice, clean out the fossilized traditions of blundering legislators and make the duty of every public servant, clear with a swift and sudden punishment for dereliction of public duty.

Above all let it be the aim of the revisors of the Constitution to remember what they are elected to do, and give us laws and authority to make laws that do not require always to be amended and tinkered with.

Above all the amended Constitution should ensure perfect liberty and justice to all. Abolish all useless offices and clear the State of any and all which now exist as reproach to its good name.

We hope and trust a Constitutional Convention will be ordered by a large majority and if it reduces the offices in the State one half—so much the better.

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The citizens of this County cannot over estimate the courage and determination of the ladies in charge, and we are satisfied Marion Co. will be where we want her, in the lead of exhibits of natural wealth.

A Good Scheme.

The originator, of the "Personal Reminiscences" column of Jonesboro Herald and Tribune—which, by the way, is very entertaining—gets off the following paragraph which we clip for the benefit of our readers. It is the prospectus of a paper which was published years ago, and the sentiment expressed in it seems to us perfectly right, just and proper.

"Wm. R. Fitzsimmons publishes the prospectus of the Elizabethton Mountaineer, occupying one whole column, then the terms in a part of another column: 'The Mountaineer will be published on a super royal sheet on every Saturday morning at \$2 per annum in advance; \$2.50 at the end of six months or \$3 at the end of the year.'

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